

At the auction sale of Lewis J. Levey this morning one horse was sold for \$110, a mare and foal for \$116, and a stallion for \$80.

Capt. Clunie and Mr. A. T. Baker, in light wagons behind flash trotters, had a brush on Queen street yesterday afternoon. Baker took the lead and tried some jockeying, but an exciting finish was prevented by a dray on the road.

Messrs. Geo. W. Macfarlane & Co. have been notified by Fire Marshal McGuire that they must not store more than ten 10-gallon cases of gasoline in one place within the fire limits. This settles the point as to the definition of the term "cases," raised in this paper yesterday.

Two native girls in a break were riding down Fort street this morning at a lively gait. When turning a corner at the foot of the street they struck a lumber pile, and one of the girls was thrown out but not hurt. She was evidently put out of temper, though, for when she was again seated in the vehicle she made the horse suffer.

Mr. John Nott, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, is expected to return from his visit East in about six weeks. It is happily suggested to us that the Department give the chief some kind of a pyrotechnical reception on arrival home. The boys can doubtless be depended upon, between now and then, to arrange for "painting the town red."

"Bugs," said a Kaahumanu street lawyer to his young clerk, "why weren't you at the office earlier this morning?" "Beg pardon, sir, but I am a reformer. I believe that the office should seek the man, not the man the office."—[N. B.—The name of the street in the foregoing item is original, having been selected by one of our "would-be wits."—Ed.]

It has become a common practice of people of Honolulu and its suburbs to place barrels and boxes of rubbish on the roads to be carted away. Sometimes the receptacles are left out whole days, making unsightly objects, frightening horses by day, and becoming stumbling blocks by night. A gentleman well posted says that such a practice would not be allowed in any civilized city except Honolulu.

This morning about ten o'clock, Road Supervisor Hart left his mare and buggy standing in charge of a Chinaman on Brewer's wharf while he went on board the Waimanalo. He told John not to touch the animal, but to stand closely by and watch her. On stepping ashore again, Mr. Hart found his team gone. The Chinaman was standing dazedly looking up town, and at length found words to explain the situation: "She lun up steeet like —" carried mutton. In the meantime the mare careered through the town, exciting apprehensions that a Government billet was vacant while half the Cabinet was away. The team drew up at the owner's house, Beretania street. An axle was bent and a trace broken: otherwise no damage was done.

FRIDAY, Sept. 18th.

The King and party, and Judge McCully, have returned to town.

E. P. Adams & Co. held a successful cash sale to-day, selling a large variety of goods.

BATHING near the Myrtle Boat Club house is increasing in popularity—no sharks there now.

A LARGE assemblage was attracted by the music and moonlight to Emma Square last evening. The band did very well, and its music was much appreciated.

THE Honolulu Rifles' drummers were practising at the Myrtle Boat Club house last evening. Their kind consideration in thus withdrawing from the range of the community's ear drum should be appreciated.

Two natives and a Chinaman, prisoners in irons, arrived by the steamer W. G. Hall this afternoon from Kau. The Chinaman is the alleged principal in the recently reported shooting affray in that district.

In the Police Court to-day, Kaileanu was tried for larceny of a basket, the property of Ah On. The value of the stolen goods was 50 cts.; and the penalty for appropriating the same, 20 days' imprisonment at hard labor.

Mr. Robinson, one of the Myrtle's senior crew, has gone to Waimanalo. His plan will be taken by Mr. Branch. The Myrtle's senior crew for the coming regatta will likely be Wundenberg, Purdy, Savage, Lyle and the two Branches.

THE sociable at Fort street Church last evening came off in good style. There was a large attendance. Ample justice was done to the excellent cake, coffee and sandwiches, which were liberally distributed by the ladies.

At the meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Fort Street Church yesterday, it was resolved to repaint and otherwise renovate the lecture room. Those improvements may, of course, be accepted as *un fait accompli*.

THE Honolulu Yacht & Boat Club boys embrace the opportunity to take a swim from the boat house at noon every day. The six-oared boat's crew will practise this evening. The senior crew for the 16th of November has not been picked yet.

TWENTY-FIVE members rallied at the Gymnasium last evening, to the meeting of the choral and quintette clubs. This was not bad, considering all the other attractions of the evening. Professor Herz was present, and added to the profit and pleasure of the gathering with several piano accompaniments.

THE steamer Kinau was lowered from the Marine Railway this afternoon, after occupying the ways for ten working days. She has had two new plates put in her bottom, each 11 feet 7 inches by about five feet. The whole hull has been cleaned and painted, and the speed record is liable to be hurt next trip. New tubes are being placed in the boiler by the workmen who repaired the hull.

DEPUTY-SHERIFF Smith, of Kau, Hawaii, made a raid on a Chinese den last Tuesday night and captured three tins of opium. He was furiously pelted with stones while trying to effect an entrance to the building. The Chinamen were stationed above with a large supply of rocks. Mr. Smith received a severe blow on his arm, but otherwise he was not hurt. After the capture of the three tins of opium he went about asking every Chinaman in Kau if he owned the drug.

A BEAUTIFUL object adorns the counter of the Elite Ice Cream Parlors. It is called the Crescent Drought Stand. From two pillars ending in spires and balls springs a graceful arch, and half way up there is a circular reservoir fitted with four faucets for as many kinds of liquid. Above the arch there is a glass covered fountain, containing a statue of Hebe. This in turn is capped with a highly ornate dome and cupola. The stand is of silver, delicately chased with Arctic scenery. Altogether it is a delightful work of art.

ROAD Supervisor Hart nearly took a tumble this morning. He and Mr. T. Lucas were riding in Mr. Hart's carriage on Merchant street, and when opposite Wiseman's the right hind wheel of the buggy dished. Neither of the occupants were thrown out, and Mr. W. Moore caught the horse by the bridle to prevent any further mishap. Mr. Hart, with the dignity of a knight, led the noble animal to Lucas's mill, while the wrecked vehicle was taken to the wheelwright's for repairs. The Road Supervisor will have his revenge on the rut that probably caused the accident, by covering it with a cartload of earth.

SATURDAY, Sept. 19th.

Mr. Chas. Purdy has built a new raft for the Myrtle Boat Club.

SIXTEEN horses and six mules that came by the bark Caibarian this morning are for J. M. Horner, Kukuiahae, Hawaii, and H. J. Agnew's \$1,500 bay mare came by the same vessel.

Forty lots of the Seaview estate were sold at E. P. Adams & Co.'s salesroom this morning. The prices were very good for the time, ranging from \$95 to \$300, and aggregating \$5,470.

THE brigantine Claus Spreckels was photographed while passing the O.S.S. wharf this noon. She was under full sail, every stitch of canvas being spread. A small mail was despatched by this vessel from the Post-Office.

WHEN the Kinau was being lowered from the Marine Railway yesterday afternoon, a small native boy jumped from the highest point, about 40 feet, into the bay. He struck the water like an arrow, and came up like a cork.

NEWS came by the steamer Lelua that special officer William Sheldon captured eight tins of opium at Huolo, Maui, a few days ago. The Chinaman who had the opium was fined \$250, and was sentenced to three months of imprisonment at hard labor.

Mr. Lincoln, at his carpenter shop on King street, is making a handsome lanai for Mr. E. S. Cunha. Very elaborate right-angled trellis work will form one gable, and an immense star will adorn the other. There is to be a driveway right through the lanai.

Hox. W. C. Parke closed up the store of Chee Man, a bankrupt, at Hilo, and in one day, between ten and four o'clock, sold the whole stock out. The amount realized was greater than he expected, namely, \$557. Mr. Parke reports the roads on Hawaii extremely muddy, altogether unfit for pedestrianism.

THE new ramie machine was working in Messrs. Robert More & Co.'s machine shop, King street, this morning. It works well, and turns out the fibre, finished as far as required for the market, with expedition and precision. This machine is much less ponderous than the one of

which it is an improvement, the changes being Mr. E. Lyan's inventions.

TAKE a slip of paper and place thereon, in figures, your age in years, dropping months, weeks and days. Multiply the sum by 2; then add to the result obtained the figures 3,768; add 2, and then divide by two. Subtract from the result obtained the number of your years on earth and see if you do not obtain figures you will not be likely to forget.—*Sol.*

Mr. Strong has portraits of several well-known citizens on easels in his studio, Government Survey building. They already present remarkably lifelike lineaments. A finished portrait of Capt. Morse of the Alameda is a masterpiece. Among many fine scenes, there is one of a horse race by native girls on the Waikiki beaches, and another large one of the Nuuanu Pali, both striking in their way.

LAST Wednesday morning, before daylight, two boats with passengers and one with freight were landing at Maalea from the steamer Likelike, when the freight boat was capsized. The night was very dark and the sea was running high. The two boats with passengers landed all right, and the freight that was in the capsized boat was picked up on shore about 8 miles off. Nobody hurt and no damage was done.

At a meeting of the People's Ice and Refrigerator Company held yesterday, it was decided to increase the capital stock by thirty thousand dollars, making a total of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Shares in the company have changed hands during the week at \$100 each par value. Now that the consolidation of the two companies is effected, it would not be surprising if sales were made at a premium. It is authoritatively stated to us that the price of ice will not be raised.

Rev. Mr. Cruzan and lady returned to town this morning by the Lelua from their visit to the Maui mountains. Mrs. Cruzan has not yet recovered from the injuries sustained by being thrown from horseback two weeks ago. The journey home will probably have retarded her improvement, as it involved ten miles of travel by land besides the steamer trip. Her many friends have reason to hope, however, that rest and quiet at home will effect a complete restoration of her health. Mr. Cruzan himself looks very well for his experience of "roughing it," apparently having laid up large reserves of strength and vigor for his arduous duties of pastor and editor.

MONDAY, Sept. 21st.

THE Planter brought machinery for the Koloa plantation, Kauai.

"Now that the baseball season is over," the surgeons will have a rest.

THE Band gave particularly fine music from the Palace verandah this morning.

THIS forenoon was unusually close and oppressive. The trades are beginning their vacation.

Mr. Robbins, formerly cashier of G. W. Macfarlane & Co., is said to be very ill at Waikagu, Maui.

THE last match of the season, on Saturday, resulted in the Honolulu beating the Oceanic club by 11 to 10.

THE church at Kalaupapa, Molokai, has been restored to the position from which it was wrenched by the recent gale.

THREE hacks joined in a runaway from the Government building on Saturday evening, and all received more or less damage, although they did not get outside of the grounds.

WM. H. Pond was to-day fined by Judge Bickerton, in the Police Court, \$153.50, and sentenced to three months at hard labor, for having a quantity of opium in his possession.

THE bankruptcy case of S. J. Levey & Co. was before the Supreme Court to-day, when debts against the bankrupts, amounting to \$30,450.38, were proved. Messrs. A. J. Cartwright and W. G. Irwin were appointed assignees.

SEGAR had advanced seven points from last advices, when the steamer Planter left San Francisco. Manila basis was \$5.60 for 91 sugar per hundred pounds. New York was \$6.25 for 96 degrees, which is about 24 cents a hundred better than Manila.

MESSRS. Auld & Black, printers, are negotiating for the plant of the defunct *Daily Hawaiian*. Their object is to start a job printing office, and procure the contract of printing one or more of the native papers. They are hardly likely to attempt an entrance into English daily journalism.

A BURGLARIOUS entrance was made into the premises of Rev. C. E. Groser's Portuguese servant, at Palama yesterday, while all the people were away to church. Among other things, about fifty-five dollars was abstracted from a box. A slight clue obtained may lead to the discovery of the perpetrator.

Mr. Schaefer reports everything looking well on Kauai. On the way

up, on Friday, there was seen from the Iwalani a large, four-masted vessel, steering apparently for Niuhau. He was informed that there were a great many lepers at large at Kekaha, Kauai. Some of them were said to have been sent to Honolulu, but either sent back or allowed to return. The water in the Waimea river is unusually high.

THE Hilo Planter's Society, at a meeting where ten plantations were represented, have declared against the recent labor circular of the President of the Board of Immigration. They described it as entirely uncalculated for, extra judicial and unconstitutional; the carrying of its provisions as the first steps in annulling the independence of the Hawaiian Kingdom; subversive of all proper and needful discipline on plantations, and tending to aggravate rather than diminish the present evils attendant on all labor enterprises now existing on these isles.

THE San Francisco *Call* of Sept. 12th has the following:—Claus Spreckels stated yesterday that the subsidy of \$150,000 which the New Zealand Government had decided to offer for the continuation of the mail service via San Francisco would not be enough to maintain a line of steamers that could make the trip in eighteen days, as required by one of the conditions upon which the subsidy is granted. The other colonies, however, have not yet been heard from. It is probable that they may do something to secure the mail service via this city.

TUESDAY, Sept. 22d.

AUTUMN begins to-day. So the almanac says.

SOME of the plants lately set out in the Government yard are not thriving.

SALUTES were exchanged this forenoon between the Honolulu battery and the Italian man-of-war Christopher Columbus.

MESSRS. W. G. Irwin and A. J. Cartwright were yesterday appointed assignees in the bankrupt estate of S. J. Levey & Co.

Hox. Paul Neumann was much better when the Alameda left. He is expected to return to Honolulu by the next Australian steamer.

OFFICERS Mehlertens and Macy went to the Chinese wash-houses yesterday for opium, and captured four Chinamen gambling with cards.

THE children attending Fort-street School have made up a box of clothing, toys, etc., for the children confined in the leper settlement on Molokai.

THERE will be full moon to-morrow night, also a partial eclipse of that luminary. The phenomenon cannot, however, be utilized by Honolulu youth as an excuse for sitting up late. It will not be visible here.

Oats' bulletin board this forenoon bore the following entry:—"9.15—Genestain sight—overran the mark." While about it, they might have told a right one. By adding, "The Puritan leading by half a length," they would have sold out the balance of their Fourth of July flags.

OVER two thousand feet of new canvas-covered rubber-hose stored at the Central Station was found lately to have tempted the appetites of cockroaches. Their marks were visible in the web at the exposed places. Racks have been built in the hook and ladder room, and the hose stretched thereon, where it can be watched against the voracious creatures. A coat of copper paint, perhaps, would be an effectual preventive.

THIS forenoon a sturdy young native mule-driver, in the employ of the Honolulu Planing Mill, got into an altercation with an Italian express-driver, No. 101, on Fort street near the above establishment. The men left the animals, respectively in their charge, and engaged in a furious combat with fists. At the same time the thunder of the guns of the Italian man-of-war frightened the native's mule, and the latter started on a runaway tour round town. It was stopped with only a broken whiffletree to record as damages. In the meantime the fight went on, and the Italian got the worse of it. One side of his face was badly battered, retaining a livid impression in high relief. Both the combatants were arrested and taken to the station house, where they each deposited bail for appearance before the Police Court.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23d.

THE steeple of Fort Street Church is being repaired.

THE 200 Chinese arrived yesterday were all certified.

THE Italian man-of-war took in 160 tons of coal to-day. She will receive 370 tons in all.

THE Honolulu Rifles had a good bayonet drill last evening. The attendance was not as good as it might have been.

THE Honolulu Carriage Repository is being repaired. The charred boards are being pulled down and replaced with new ones.

SOME of the streets are in deplorable need of scraping. When damp, the vapors, and when dry, the dust are horrible elements to inhale.

ABOUT fifty sailors of the Italian man-of-war congregated at the boat landing last evening, singing nautical songs in their own language.

THE Queen's Own had a street drill last evening, commanded by Capt. O'Connor. Over sixty members were present. Skirmishing drill and route marching were the movements executed.

It is reported that a Sunday morning paper is to be the next novelty here. The projectors must be anxious to win like fame with the Chinamen who shingled a shanty and painted a sign on Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Barnes, of St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, England, has arrived in Honolulu, to assist in the English Church mission, and will shortly be ordained a deacon by the Bishop of Honolulu.

E. P. Adams & Co. got fair prices for David Oxley's furniture this morning. W. G. Irwin & Co. bought out the lease of the land, that belongs to themselves, for \$500 for balance of term, four years and 3 months.

A NUMEROUS and gay company assembled at the house of Mr. Wm. Auld, Palama, last night. They had a gorgeous supper and delightful musical and social diversion afterward, dispersing shortly after ten o'clock all in pleasant moods.

Mr. James Simmons, formerly book-keeper for the Honolulu Planing Mills, who left here on the last trip of the Alameda, has, his many friends and multi-mystical brethren will be glad to learn, obtained assurance of a good billet in a railway office in San Francisco.

CAPT. Volpe, of the Cristoforo Colombo, was here twelve years ago in the frigate Garibaldi, as aide-de-camp to the Duke of Genoa. During his stay in port, he will be the guest of Mr. A. Schaefer, Italian Consul. Commander Accinni Enrico met King Kalakaua at Naples, when the latter was making the tour of the world.

THE Fire Marshal and the First and Second Assistant Engineers of the Fire Department, having made some explorations in the city since the gasoline fire of last week, discovered 17 tanks of gasoline within a short distance of the BULLETIN office. The explosive is to be removed to legal quarters to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY, Sept. 24th.

THE Wailua ferry is said to be in fine working order.

THE purser of the steamer James Makee reports times being exceedingly quiet along the steamer's route.

Mr. C. B. Wilson's pick-axe brigade were out, yesterday and to-day, cutting off the water of delinquent rate-payers.

WATER, water! Wai, wai! Agua, agua! Waitee, waitee! everywhere, and not a drop to drink, till the rates are paid.

E. P. Adams & Co. auctioned off large lots of apples, potatoes and onions this forenoon. The onions and apples brought a scant apiece, but the potatoes went to pot.

Mrs. P. P. Shepherd gave a lunch party at her residence at noon to-day. The occasion was in honor of the departure of Mrs. A. McWayne to-morrow by the W. G. Irwin.

ABOUT 25 Portuguese families from Kilauea, Waialua and Waianae, returned to Honolulu by the steamer James Makee last evening, their labor contracts having expired.

Dr. Peterson, Government physician at Kaneohe, is preparing to move to Honolulu. Part of his household furniture came here by the schooner Rainbow this morning.

GRINDING has ceased at Kilauea, Hanalei, Kapaa, Waialua and Waianae for the present. The Kapaa Mill is no more. The Kealia Mill will do all the grinding in that district.

SOME prisoners employed in a gang hired to work for a private contractor, at the corner of Young and Piikoi streets, have been guilty of grossly insulting ladies passing that way. The ruffians are in sad need of being strung up by the thumbs and lashed with a mule whip.

SNEAK-THIEVING has broken out again, if it has ever ceased. Last night, an ice chest standing on the verandah of Mr. Bushee's house, Kukui street, was cleaned out. Meat, bread, butter, milk, ginger ale—everything, in fact, but the ice was carried away. It was a cool enough proceeding without the ice. Mr. Bushee thinks he heard footsteps about the premises near the midnight hour.

Mr. Jos. E. Wiseman bought the sloop Lark at auction this noon for \$60. He says he will name her the Puritan, and will go on a yachting excursion for several months. He will call at Pearl River and other prominent ports to take in suckers and eels. A grand feast will probably be given by Mr. Wiseman on

board the sloop just previous to his departure, on which occasion he will have a fat guinea-pig for the members of the press.

On Sunday morning last, between 1 and 2 o'clock, the store of a Chinaman named Tong Wo, three or four doors from the first bridge, Nuuanu Valley, Waikiki side, was burglarized. Entrance was made by a side window, and the robber carried off blankets, clothing, several dollars cash, canned salmon and other things. The Chinese occupants, although living above and at the rear of the store, heard nothing. A horse's tracks were visible beside the building in the morning.

FRIDAY, Sept. 25th.

A PORTUGUESE laborer was killed by falling from a flume on Hakalau plantation on Friday last.

THE Queen's Own paraded last evening, *en route*, marching order, manoeuvring during the march, commanded by Captain O'Connor.

JUDGE McCully has sold his celebrated Holstein bull, "Hercules," imported from Germany, to Mr. Z. S. Spalding, Kauai, for five hundred dollars.

Mr. Arton Neilson, an employee of the Iron Works and an old resident, died on Wednesday, aged about fifty. He was highly esteemed by his fellow-workmen, who bore the expenses of his funeral.

MESSRS. J. M. Oat, Jr., & Co. have presented Mr. W. A. Kinney (captain) with the championship bat, won by the Oceanic Baseball Club during the past season. It is a beautiful article of workmanship and is suitably inscribed.

A NATIVE named Umiloi murdered his father-in-law, Wahakole, by clubbing him, at Kamaea, Hakalau, Hawaii, on Sunday last. The deed was the result of a quarrel over ill-usage of his wife by the young man. Both men had been drinking okolehao.

His Majesty gave audience, at noon yesterday, to Mr. F. A. Schaefer, Italian Consul, and Capt. Volpe and officers of the Italian man-of-war Cristoforo Colombo. This evening the Consul will entertain the same party at his residence, Nuuanu Valley.

REFERRING to the account of an extraordinary purchase of real estate in yesterday's issue, it is only fair to state that the original owner of the property has magnanimously offered the purchaser a more desirable lot in exchange for his gulch. Another man who bid in a lot with out having seen the property, has stated that he would not take double what he paid for it.

ALL the bills for the campfire of the G. A. R. Post were paid within thirty-six hours after the event. This is a good example for all organizations, both temporary and permanent. By way of giving honor where it is due, Mr. James T. White, Senior Vice Com., should be credited with the hard work of preparation for, and the energetic despatch of business connected with the affair.

SATURDAY, Sept. 26th.

THE Kapiolani Home being built at Kakaako branch hospital will be completed next week.

LAST week the Bishop of Oahu dedicated a new Roman Catholic church at Waianae, and confirmed one hundred and fifty candidates.

Mr. George Lucas has the contract of taking down the woodwork of the Kawaiahae church tower, and replacing it with stone to the top. The work has been begun.

Mr. M. D. Monsarrat goes to Molokai by the steamer Dowsett Monday, to level a piece of land at Kamae, when a trial artesian well will be bored.

THE local design for the beautiful banner of the Knights Templar—which has been on exhibition for some days at West, Dow & Co.'s—was from a painting by Mrs. J. D. Strong.

Mr. Lewis J. Levey bought the lease of the A. W. Peirce building on Queen street, sold at auction this forenoon by order of the Government. It has three years to run, and Mr. Levey will at once occupy the premises with his auction and commission business.

WHILE repairing Fort street Church steeple, Mr. Lucas's workmen found a swarm of bees just above the organ loft. About four sugar kegs of comb were deposited. Much decayed wood was replaced with sound timber, and the steeple is now thoroughly staunch.

PROPRIETORS of land on School street, between Nuuanu and Lilihia streets, are prevented from building upon their lots, by the fact that no water is furnished to that locality. They are asking why the Interior Department does not utilize the water pipes, lying rusting in many places, to afford such localities a supply.

THIS morning His Majesty entertained Captain Volpe and officers of His Italian Majesty's S. S. Cristoforo Colombo at breakfast. At noon His Majesty went on board the